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Ref: <u>Small Area Exemptions (SAE's)</u>, <u>Bear Canyon Mine</u>, <u>ACT/015/025</u>, <u>Emery County</u>, <u>Utah</u>

Tom Munson of DOGM informed me that the Federal Inspector expressed some concern regarding the existing text on the SAE's during an inspection made on 29 March 1990. I have not received any verification pertaining to the TDN that was reportedly issued but I have made modification to the text and the items of concern should be properly addressed with the attached changed pages that should replace those presently in the PAP.

Attached are four copies, of pages 7-58, 7K-2 and 7K-3. Page 7-58 has been changed to correctly identify the SAE's as areas that do not report to the sediment ponds. The area defined as Area Near Portal No. 1 has been enlarged in the text to address the expansion made on Plates 2-4 and 7-1 in January of this year. No new SAE's have been added. Please notify me if additional copies are required and I will forward them to your office.

Thank you,

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